(b) and (c) The hoter was not subjected to any such _ restriction by the Mini Defence.

US-Pak arecment On tne transfer of sensitive technology

1324. SHRI SHEO KUMAR MISHRA: SHRl KAPU. VERMA:

Will the Minister or EXTERNAL AF 1 'JRS b_e pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attenaon Ween $draw_n$ t_D reports that Pakistan is entering into ti secret agreement with the United States for the transfer of sensitive technology that ca« be used for further ancb of Pakistan's nuclear development programme: and

(b) if so, what is Government's reaction thereto'.'

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI K. R. NARAYANAN): Ia) Yes, Sir.

tb) Government continues to maintain a constant vigil over aU such developments having ii bearing on Country's security.

IS help, to Pakifttnu

I 125. SHRI RAJNI RAMAN SAHU: Wili the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to a news-item that appeared in the *Hindustan Time*s of 14th July, 1986 captioned "US assured Pak to help fight "'71 war": if so, what ar,;, the details thereof; und

(b) what is Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN IHE MIMSTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI K.R. NARAYANAN): (a) Yes, Sir. Government have also seen the documents seized from the US Embassy in Tehran and published by the Iranian students io which there is mention of such a* Usui ance being conveyed to Pakistan.

tb) Government continue to monitor all such information and maintain a constant vigil over all developments having a bearing on the country's secu

Violation oi labour laws by mauagemvut of Appu Ghar

1326. DR. C. SILVERA: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are awaro that there has been gross violation of labou; and other laws by the management ei Appu Ghar and that notices for termination of services of many employees of the Appu Ghar have been served illegally; if so, the number of those to whom notices have been served so far;

th) whether it is faci that employee-are being forced to work on holidays without being paid anything in lieu thereof:

(c) whether it is also a fact that no rne-dical facilities arc given to the staff; and

(.d) if BO whether Government propose to set up a committee to inquire into tht functioning of the 'APPU GHAR' and to ensure tha* labour laws are $_n$ot violal ed and services of employees not terminated illegally?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THI MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI P. A. SANGMA): (a) the Delhi Administratiou has reported that four separate Industrial disputes were received alleging wrongful termination of services of four workers.

(b) and (c) No such complaint is te ported to have been received by Labour Commissioner.

(U> No. Sir.

India's role to stop IraisJuruq war

1527. SHRl V. NARAYANASAMY. Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AP FAIRS be pleased Io state:

iu) whether it ia a feet tita the deiay in iiodtng a solution to the Iran-Iraq war is a challenging factor for the existence of NAM; and

lb) if so, what role the Indian Govem-ment is playing for a settlement between th. two countrie^ so as to stop wai and to settle the dispute mutually?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS SHRl K. R. NARAYANAN): (a) and (b) Ihe continuance of Iran-Iraq war now in its seventh year has indeed posed a challenge of grave concern to the Nonaligned Movement but has at no stage posed a threat to the existence of NAM as both | Iran and Iraq continue to be its respective ind active Members From the outset, the Government of India has played an active role, both bilaterally and within the Movement, with a view to bringing this tragic conflict to an end. Al the Non aligned Foreign Ministers Conference in New Delh; in February. 1981, India par-licipatcd in the Ministerial Group of four Countries charged with the task of at pting to secure a negotiated settlement. Ar tlie New Delhi Summit in March, 1983. Smt. Indira Gandhi as Chairperion of the Movement issued an appeal to end the war. This appeal was renewed by India in April, 1986 Ministerial Meeting or th-. Nonaligned Coordinating Bureau in New Delhi.

Laying of fence along the Indo-Kangla-desu border

1328. SHRl V. NARAYANASAMY: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS b,, pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Bangladesh Government is not cooperatin!i with tbe Government of India in the matter cf laying of thc fenc$_c$ along the Indo-Bane-tadesh border;

(b) whethetr the, issue was discussed* during Bangladesh President's recent vi-.il to Tndia; and

(c) if so, what was the outcome thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS HR! K R. NARAYANAN): (a) The fenc^ is to be built entirely $_{on}$ lndian territory. The cooperation $_c$f any other country, accordingly, doss not arise.

(b) and (c) The problem of ihe conti nuing illegal immigration from Bangladesh into India was raised by the Indian side and the Bangladesh side was informed of the steps proposed to be taken to tackle this problem.

Dropping of Napalm bombs on civilian areas by the Sri Lankan Air Force personnel

1329. SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA: Will th$_c$ Minisler of EXTERNA! AFFAIRS h, pleased to state:

(a) whelher il is a fa.;' that napalm bombs wer* dropped on the civilian areas by the Sri Lank in air force personnel; anti

(bj if so. whether Uie Governmern of lndia Inve taken up the matter with the Sri Lankan Government?

THE MINTSTER OF STA 111 IN IHE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI K. P. NARAYANAN); (a) Government have seen press reports about tht reported dropping napalm bombs by Sri-Lankan air force personnel on civilian areas. There is. however, no definite iniormation whh Government fo confirm thes$_e$ reports.

(b) Government have deplored all acts ot violence and have repeatedly conveyed to the Sri Lankan authorities their concern at the violence directed against civilians by the security forces. The question of use of napalm has not, however, been specifically take>n up due to 1i«ck of confirmation regarding the same.

P.M.'s visit to Pakistan

1330. SHRI KAPIL VERMA; Will tht Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased o state whether the Prime Minister has recently received any request from the Governmern of Pakistan to vfsH ! that country?